



PATENT
Attorney Docket No.: LEXA-00206

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	Group Art Unit:
)	
Petro Estakhri et al.	)	Examiner:
)	
Serial No.: 10/647,084)	
	)	<u>TRANSMITTAL LETTER</u>
Filed: August 21, 2003)	
	)	162 N. Wolfe Road
For: FLASH MEMORY CARD WITH	)	Sunnyvale, CA 94086
ENHANCED OPERATING MODE	)	(408) 530-9700
DETECTION AND USER-)	
FRIENDLY INTERFACING)	
SYSTEM	)	Customer No. 28960

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Enclosed please find an Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449, including copies of the references contained thereon, and a certification for supplemental information disclosure statement for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 08-1275. **An originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.**

Respectfully submitted,
HAVERSTOCK & OWENS LLP

Dated: 11/3/03

By: Thomas B. Haverstock
Thomas B. Haverstock
Reg. No.: 32,571

Attorneys for Applicants

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR § 1.6(a))
I hereby certify that this paper (along with any
references to it being attached or enclosed) is being
deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on the date
shown below with sufficient postage as first class
mail in an envelope addressed to the:
Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

HAVERSTOCK & OWENS LLP
Date: 11-3-03 By: [Signature]



PATENT
Attorney Docket No.: LEXA-00206

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	Group Art Unit:
Petro Estakhri et al.	)	Examiner:
Serial No.: 10/647,084	)	<u>SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION</u>
Filed: August 21, 2003	)	<u>DISCLOSURE STATEMENT</u>
For: FLASH MEMORY CARD WITH ENHANCED OPERATING MODE DETECTION AND USER- FRIENDLY INTERFACING SYSTEM	)	162 N. Wolfe Road Sunnyvale, CA 94086 (408) 530-9700
	)	Customer No. 28960

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

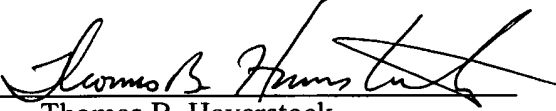
The citations listed below, copies attached, may be material to the examination of the above-identified application, and are therefore submitted in compliance with the duty of disclosure defined in 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97. The Examiner is requested to make these citations of official record in this application.

- U.S. Patent No. 6,026,293;
- U.S. Patent No. 6,144,607 and;
- U.S. Patent No. 6,360,220 B1.

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97 is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, that additional information material to the examination of this application does not exist, or that anyone or more of these citations constitutes prior art.

Respectfully submitted,
HAVERSTOCK & OWENS LLP

Dated: 11-3-03

By: 
Thomas B. Haverstock
Reg. No.: 32,571

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR § 1.8(a))
I hereby certify that this paper (along with any
related to as being attached or enclosed) is being
deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on the date
shown below with sufficient postage as first class
mail in an envelope addressed to the:
Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

HAVERSTOCK & OWENS LLP
Date: 11-3-03 By: 



PATENT
Attorney Docket No.: LEXA-00206

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	Group Art Unit:
Petro Estakhri et al.	)	Examiner:
Serial No.: 10/647,084)	
Filed: August 21, 2003	)	<u>CERTIFICATION FOR</u>
	)	<u>SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION</u>
	)	<u>DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37</u>
	)	<u>CFR § 1.97(e)</u>
For: FLASH MEMORY CARD WITH)	
ENHANCED OPERATING MODE	)	162 North Wolfe Road
DETECTION AND USER -	)	Sunnyvale, CA 94086
FRIENDLY INTERFACING)	
SYSTEM	)	(408) 530-9700
		Customer No. 28960

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This certification is being made for the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement accompanying this certification.

Certification

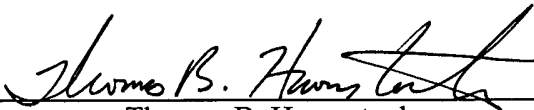
I hereby certify that the attached three (3) references contained in this supplemental information disclosure statement were cited within an International Search Report (ISR) mailed on September 23, 2003. **Accordingly, the references contained in the supplemental information disclosure statement were cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart application not more than three months prior to the filing of the statement. 37 C.F.R. 1.97(e)(1).**

Identification of Person Making Certification

The person making this certification is the attorney who signs below on the basis of the information in the attorney's file.

Respectfully submitted,
HAVERSTOCK & OWENS LLP

Dated: 11-3-03

By: 
Thomas B. Haverstock
Reg. No.: 32,571

Attorneys for Applicants

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR § 1.6(a))

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1460 Alexandria, VA 22313-1460

HAVERSTOCK & OWENS LLP.

Date: 11-3-03 By: 

FORM PTO-1449
(Modified)U.S. Department of Commerce
Patent and Trademark Office

Attorney Docket No.: LEXA -00206

Serial No.: 10/647,084

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT
(Use Several Sheets If Necessary)

Applicant: Petro Estakhri et al.

(37 CFR § 1.98(b))

Filing Date: August 21, 2003

Group Art Unit:

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials		Serial / Patent Number	Issue Date	Applicant / Patentee	Class	Subclass	Filing Date
	AA	6,026,293	02/15/00	Osborn	455	411	09/05/96
	AB	6,144,607	11/07/00	Sassa	365	230.03	06/10/98
	AC	6,360,220 B1	03/19/02	Forin	707	8	12/31/98
	AD						
	AE						
	AF						
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						
	AJ						
	AK						
	AL						
	AM						
	AN						
	AO						

FOREIGN PATENTS OR PUBLISHED FOREIGN PATENT APPLICATIONS

		Document Number	Publication Date	Country / Patent Office	Class	Subclass	Translation	
							Yes	No
	AP							
	AQ							
	AR							
	AS							
	AT							

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Relevant Pages, Place of Publication)

	AU	
	AV	
	AW	
	AX	
	AY	
	AZ	
	BA	
	BB	
	BC	

Examiner:

Date Considered:

EXAMINER: Initial citation considered. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.